

## EDUCATION

The County has budgeted \$78,374,846 or 35.9 percent of the total budget for education expense. This includes \$40,365,232 for current expenses for the three school districts and Catawba Valley Community College (CVCC) and capital and construction expenses total \$22,331,324. The Debt Service amount for education is \$15,678,290.

Public education is a major responsibility of County government. In recent years, Catawba County has undertaken major initiatives to both support effective education and to secure accountability for the use of educational funding.

